# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION

No. 12-md-2323(AB)

MDL No. 2323

**Second Amended Master Administrative** 

**Long-Form Complaint Against Riddell** Defendants and (if applicable) Allen, et al. v. National Football League [et al.], No. 2:13-cv-05439-AB

This is a Short Form Complaint related to Plaintiffs Corey Terry and Jennifer Terry

SHORT FORM COMPLAINT

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

### SHORT FORM COMPLAINT AGAINST RIDDELL DEFENDANTS

- 1. Plaintiff Corey Terry and Plaintiff's Spouse Jennifer Terry bring this civil action as a related action in the matter entitled IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION, MDL No. 2323.
- 2. Plaintiff(s) are filing this Short Form Complaint against Riddell Defendants as required by this Court's Case Management Order, filed October 24, 2017.
- 3. Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse continue to maintain claims against Riddell Defendants after a Class Action Settlement was entered into between the NFL Defendants and certain Plaintiffs.
- 4. Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse incorporate by reference the allegations (as designated below) of the Second Amended Master Administrative Long-Form Complaint Against Riddell Defendants, as is fully set forth at length in this Short Form Complaint.

<del>5.</del>	[Fill in if app	<del>licable] Plaintil</del>	ff is filing thi	s case in a rep	resentative cap	acity as the
	of	, having been	n duly appoir	nted as the	by t	he Court of

\_\_\_\_\_\_. (Cross out sentence below if not applicable.) Copies of the Letters of

Administration/Letters Testamentary for a wrongful death claim are annexed hereto if such

Letters are required for the commencement of such a claim by the Probate, Surrogate or other

appropriate court of the jurisdiction of the decedent.

- 6. Plaintiff <u>Corey Terry</u> is a resident and citizen of <u>Alpharetta, Georgia</u> and claims damages as set forth below.
- 7. Plaintiff's Spouse <u>Jennifer Terry</u> is a resident and citizen of <u>Alpharetta, Georgia</u> and claims damages as a result of loss of consortium proximately caused by the harm suffered by her Plaintiff husband.
- 8. The Plaintiff sustained repetitive, traumatic sub-concussive and/or concussive head impacts during NFL games and/or practices. Upon information and belief, Plaintiff suffers from symptoms of brain injury caused by the repetitive, traumatic sub-concussive and/or concussive head impacts the Plaintiff sustained during NFL games and/or practices. Upon information and belief, the Plaintiff's symptoms arise from injuries that are latent and have developed and continue to develop over time.
- 9. The original complaint by Plaintiffs in this matter was filed in <u>Southern District of New York</u>. If the case is remanded, it should be remanded to <u>Southern District of New York</u>.

10.	Plain	ffs claim damages as a result of [check all that apply]:		
	$\boxtimes$	Injury to Herself/Himself		
		Injury to the Person Represented		
		Wrongful Death		

⊠ Economic Loss

Survivorship Action

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		$\boxtimes$	Loss of Services		
		$\boxtimes$	Loss of Consortium		
	11.	[Fill in	if applicable] As a result of the injuries to Plaintiff, Plaintiff's Spouse		
suffers	uffers from a loss of consortium, including the following injuries:				
		$\boxtimes$	Loss of marital services;		
		$\boxtimes$	Loss of companionship, affection or society;		
		$\boxtimes$	Loss of support; and		
		$\boxtimes$	Monetary losses in the form of unreimbursed costs expended for the health care and personal care of Plaintiff.		
	12.	[Check	x if applicable] ⊠Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse reserve the right to object		
to federal jurisdiction.					
	13.	Plainti	intiff and Plaintiff's Spouse bring this case against the following Defendants in		
this act	ion [ch	eck all t	that apply]:		
		$\boxtimes$	Riddell, Inc.		
		$\boxtimes$	All American Sports Corp.		
		$\boxtimes$	Riddell Sports Group, Inc.		
		$\boxtimes$	BRG Sports, Inc.		
		$\boxtimes$	BRG Sports Holdings Corp.		
		$\boxtimes$	Easton-Bell Sports, LLC		
		$\boxtimes$	EB Sports Corp.		
		$\boxtimes$	BRG Sports, LLC		

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- 14. [Check if applicable] ⊠ The Plaintiff wore one or more helmets designed and/or manufactured by the Riddell Defendants during one or more years Plaintiff played in the NFL and/or AFL.
- 15. Plaintiff played in [check if applicable] 

  the National Football League

  ("NFL") and/or in [check if applicable] 

  the American Football League ("AFL") during the following period of time 1999-2001 for the following teams: 

  Oakland Raiders; New Orleans 

  Saints; Indianapolis Colts TC; Pittsburgh Steelers and Jacksonville Jaguars.
  - 16. Plaintiff retired from playing professional football after the <u>2001</u> season.

#### **CAUSES OF ACTION**

- 17. Plaintiffs herein adopt by reference the following Counts of the Second Amended Master Administrative Long-Form Complaint, along with the factual allegations incorporated by reference in those Counts [check all that apply]:
  - ⊠ Count I (Negligence)

  - ⊠ Count III (Negligent Misrepresentation)
  - ☐ Count IV (Fraud)

  - ⊠ Count VI (Failure to Warn)
  - ⊠ Count VII (Breach of Implied Warranty)
  - ☐ Count VIII (Civil Conspiracy)
  - ⊠ Count IX (Fraudulent Concealment)

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	Count X (Wrongful Death)
	Count XI (Survival Action)
$\boxtimes$	Count XII (Loss of Consortium)
$\boxtimes$	Count XIII (Punitive Damages under All Claims)
$\boxtimes$	Count XIV (Declaratory Relief: Punitive Damages)
18.	Plaintiffs assert the following additional causes of action [write in or attach]:

# **PRAYER FOR RELIEF**

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse pray for judgment as follows:

- A. An award of compensatory damages, the amount of which will be determined at trial;
- B. An award of economic damages in the form of medical expenses, out of pocket expenses, lost earnings and other economic damages in an amount to be determined at trial;
- C. For punitive and exemplary damages as applicable;
- D. For all applicable statutory damages of the state whose laws will govern this action;
- E. For loss of consortium as applicable;
- F. For declaratory relief as applicable;
- G. For an award of attorneys' fees and costs;
- H. An award of prejudgment interest and costs of suit; and

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I. An award of such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

# **JURY TRIAL DEMAND**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 38, Plaintiffs hereby demand a trial by jury on all issues so triable.

Dated: November 30, 2017

New York, NY

Respectfully Submitted,

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